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NORTH END BRIEFS.

G. A. Dickinson and family have

returned from New Jersey, where they

spent a very pleasant vacation.

It is announced that Luther Edwards,

of 1744 Wayne avenue, is a candidate for

delegate in the first district of the Second

ward to the Republican county convention.

A serious accident happened to Thomas

Cruik, of East Market street, at the

Leggett Creek mine yesterday, by which he

was badly crushed and one of his legs

broken.

The Pittsburgh Times of yesterday stated

that Congressman Scranton and his wife

were registered at the Monongahela house

in that city. He is expected home within

a few days.

Great sympathy is felt with Mr. and

Mrs. J. Samuel in the death of their bright

little daughter, Catherine Ray, who had

been ailing for three weeks. The funeral

will take place at Washington street cem-

etery on Saturday, leaving Mr. Samuel's

residence, 367 School street, Providence, at

2 p. m.

The Epworth league of the Asbury

Methodist Episcopal church held a ribbon

society last evening at Anderson's park,

where a large number of friends attended.

Excellent musical selections were given

and light refreshments served. Everyone

seemed highly pleased with the excellent

arrangements provided for the recreation.

A case which excited intense interest in

the locality of Von Storch's shaft was

heard by Alderman Williams yesterday.

It appears that Mary Carden and Mary

Gavin had for some time been on visiting

terms until lately a rupture occurred in

the cordial relations. Both were indus-

triously picking coal and an assault was

committed, hence the appearance of the

women before the alderman. He dismissed

the case and divided the costs.

At excellent programme has been ar-

ranged for the closing exercises of School

## ACTION WAS ILLEGAL

Lackawanna Township Land Should Not Have  
Been Assessed to Springer.

## WHAT LAW SAYS ON SUBJECT

Judge Edwards After Hearing Arguments Yesterday Rendered an Opinion in Greenwood Coal Company Tax Case Assessment—Must be Stricken Off and County Treasurer Is Directed Not to Sell Land Advertised.

The opinion of Judge Edwards in the injunction proceeding against County Commissioners S. W. Roberts, Giles Roberts and John Deunth and County Treasurer D. W. Powell by the Lackawanna Coal company and the Greenwood Coal company was handed down yesterday afternoon. The plaintiffs are the lessors of certain tracts of coal in Lackawanna township owned by the John Brown heirs and the estates of William Ball and Black Hall, comprising an aggregate of 113 acres. On June 6, 1892, William Springer, of No. 4 plane, went to the commissioners' office and represented that he was the proper person to whom these acres should be assessed and accordingly Clerk John F. Williams assessed the property to him. Springer neglected to pay the taxes and his scheme was to get possession of the tract when it would be disposed of at sheriff's sale. The company had paid the taxes and through their attorneys application was made to court which was granted for a preliminary injunction restraining the sale.

Yesterday morning the matter came up before Judge Edwards. Charles H. Welles appeared for the injunction, and in the absence of ex-Judge Knapp, the county solicitor, Attorney A. D. Dean, appeared for the commissioners.

MR. WILLIAMS' STATEMENT.

John F. Williams, clerk to the county commissioners, swore that on June 6, 1892, Mr. Springer came to the office of the county commissioners and asked to have this property assessed to him. Springer himself fixing the valuation at \$7,000. The entry was made on the assessment book of William J. Davy assessor, and Dewitt Stanton and John S. Meitz assessor.

County Treasurer D. W. Powell testified to the return of Joseph Davis, tax collector, of these unpaid taxes. The total tax was \$347.54, of which \$35.05 were for county tax; \$23.33 for bridge; \$119.10 for school; \$56.05 for road, and \$35.05 for poor taxes. The sale was advertised in accordance with this return.

Mr. Dean who represented the county commissioners, said he had nothing to sustain the sale. He examined the law dealing with the question but could find nothing to make legal this sale. The present county commissioners, who had nothing to do with the affairs of the county, said the entry was made deemed it proper for the court to strike off the assessment rather than they should do it themselves. He did not believe the assessment was legal, neither did the commissioners and therefore they would make no effort to sustain it.

The attorneys decided to submit the matter to the court to be decided by written opinion. The hearing was declared to be final. The precedent that this case establishes is an important one. In his opinion Judge Edwards says the proceeding was not only illegal but even criminal. He said in part:

QUESTION INVOLVED EXPLAINED.

The only question involved in the case is the legality of certain assessments appearing upon the assessment books of Lackawanna township for the year 1892. It appears that on June 6, 1892, one William Springer came into the office of the county commissioners and asked the clerk to enter on the assessment book for said township an assessment on 113 acres of land at \$2 per acre.

The clerk complied with his request, making the following memorandum: Assessed to William Springer at his request June 6, 1892. This assessment was not made by the assessor of Lackawanna township, nor by any of the assistant assessors nor by the county commissioners sitting as a board of revision. By the act of April 28, 1893, it is provided, if any taxable real estate is omitted from the triennial assessment, the assessor on notice thereof shall forthwith assess and return the same to the county commissioners' office, and this assessment shall be subject to appeal and shall continue till the next triennial assessment.

WHAT THE LAW SAYS.

In the eighth section of the law of May 27, 1841, it is enacted that, "It shall not be lawful for any commissioner or commissioners of any county, or for any other person in his or their behalf, to add any name or names to the duplicate return or list of taxable lands or furnished by the assessor or assessors of any township, ward or district."

The same section provides a penalty of \$100, as well as removal from office for a violation of the provisions of this section.

The preliminary injunction heretofore granted in this case is hereby made perpetual and the commissioners of Lackawanna county are directed to strike off from the assessment book of Lackawanna township for the year 1892 the illegal entry complained of in the plaintiff's bill.

COURT HOUSE NEWS NOTES.

In the office of Prothonotary Pryor yesterday Maggie Rozelle by her next friend, Charles R. Rozelle, through attorney Richard Holgate, began an action against James and Eleanor A. Atherton and Joseph H. Severance to set aside the sale of \$500. Bail in the sum of \$1,000 for each defendant is required.

Clerk of the Courts John H. Thomas yesterday granted marriage licenses to the following: Thomas Kline of Wyoming, and Elizabeth Cheney of Peckville; Fred Oldorf of Hoster and E. Morgan, of Scranton; William Nagles, and Rachel Caple, of Scranton.

McGarrath & Thomas took out a certiorari in the case against them before Alderman Post for violation of the law on Sunday, June 10. John H. Phelps signed the usual bond of \$100.

Scranton's Business Interests.

THE TRIBUNE will soon publish a carefully compiled and classified list of the leading wholesale, banking, manufacturing and professional interests of Scranton and vicinity. The edition will be bound in book form, beautifully illustrated with photographic views of our public buildings, business blocks, streets, etc., together with portraits of leading citizens. No similar work has ever given an equal representation of Scranton's many industries. It will be an invaluable exposition of our business resources. Sent to persons outside the city, copies of this handsome work will attract new comers and be an unequalled advertisement of the city. The circulation is on a plan that cannot fail of good results to those concerned as well as the city at large. Representatives of THE TRIBUNE will call upon those whose NAMES are desired in this edition and explain its nature more fully.

Those desiring views of their residences in this edition will please have notice at the office.

## SATURDAY SYLVAN CONCERT.

Philharmonic and Duroid Societies to Sing at Laurel Hill Park.

Manager McDonald, of Laurel Hill park, is a well known and successful manager for a superior Sylvan concert to be given at that popular resort next Saturday. The Philharmonic Choral society and the Duroid Glee society will be present and sing several numbers, while, in addition, a number of the more popular soloists of Scranton and vicinity have been engaged.

There will be two concerts, one in the afternoon, beginning at 3 o'clock, and one in the evening, beginning at 8:30 and ending promptly at 11:30 o'clock. During these hours the handsome new dancing pavilion will be thrown open to the public at a nominal charge, and other amusements be furnished. After the evening concert there will be sufficient cars to convey patrons to all parts of the city. Admission to the park will cost ten cents. Objectionable characters will not be admitted under any circumstances.

## HEENEY SUES OSBORNE.

Claims That the Latter Alienated the Affections of Mrs. Heenev. Damages Laid at \$10,000.

Several weeks ago the domestic troubles of the Heenev caused much gossip on the South Side. The scandal has again been revived by a suit brought by Edward Heenev against Michael Osborne. The latter is charged with alienating the affections of Heenev's wife and he asks damages in the sum of \$10,000, the suit being of a civil character. Ex-Judge W. H. Stanton, who is Mr. Heenev's attorney, filed the papers in the case with Prothonotary Pryor late Wednesday night.

Mr. Heenev is a wagon-maker by trade and a much respected man among the people of the South Side. He is of middle age and has been married for a number of years. He has no children. Osborne is also a married man, has a wife and children and is the owner of considerable property. Mr. and Mrs. Heenev were among his tenants.

This gave Osborne an excuse for frequently invading the Heenev's home and Mr. Heenev declares that the opportunity was used by Osborne to seduce his wife. Heenev from the allegiance that she owed to her husband.

Last February Mr. Heenev became aware of the condition of affairs and a domestic explosion followed. It appears that Mr. and Mrs. Heenev have again become reconciled and the criminal proceedings contemplated have been abandoned. On the strength of the confession made by Mrs. Heenev to her husband concerning Osborne's conduct to her the suit for alienation of affections has been brought.

There has been only one similar case tried in this county and that was the case of H. W. Druckenmiller against Dr. Glover, of Moscow. The verdict was in favor of Dr. Glover.

## SOUTH SIDE JOTTINGS.

[All advertising matter and news items for the South side column of THE TRIBUNE can be left at Zane's barber shop, Westphal's store, or D. W. Humphrey's pharmacy. They will be promptly attended to.]

Albert Koons and August Detweiler went fishing yesterday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Byer, of Stafford avenue, Wednesday.

Frederick Mursch, who has been on a business trip to Birmingham for a few days, returned home on Wednesday evening.

The picnic at Central park last evening of the Bavarian Beneficial association proved to be one of the most entertaining and pleasing events of the season.

Due to a shortage of pig iron the lower mills shut down Wednesday evening for the remainder of the week. They will resume work on Monday morning.

An entertainment will be given at St. Mary's hall on Hickory street, Wednesday and Thursday evenings, June 27 and 28, by the children of St. Mary's German school.

The residents of Brook street between Pittston and Cedar avenues complain of the habit some persons have of throwing dead animals on the street. If this nuisance is not discontinued it will cause serious trouble.

The Misses Ida Hanel and Nettie Damm, of Philadelphia, returned home yesterday after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. S. Sprink, of Pittston avenue, of four weeks' duration.

Miss Ellie Moran and Patrick Boland, of this city, were married in St. John's Catholic church Wednesday evening at 5 o'clock by the Rev. E. J. Meley. A reception and supper was given at the home of the bride's parents.

The entertainment given by the choir of the Hickory Street German Presbyterian church at Hatters' hall was entirely successful and was carried out according to the programme published in yesterday's TRIBUNE. The following gentlemen took part: First tenors—Gus Schulz, Carl Ruhl, John Mias, Barthold Schott, William Ruse, Crutcher, Storck, Andreas Haun and Paul Wiese; second tenors, John Leates, Charles Piel, Richard Zallgar, John Bishopgarber, Sebastian Rappert and Nathan Jacobs; first basses, William J. Kiesel, Anton Fisch, William Baumgartner, Philip Robinson, John Griener, Julius Schenker and Theodore Nodel; second basses, Louis Hettrick, John Stoeber, William Bonchman, Theodore Bauschman, Jacob Klein and Albert Binger.

## PERSONAL.

William A. Harvey is home from State College.

James Blair is home from Princeton for the summer vacation.

John Lottus and R. M. O'Brien were in New York yesterday on a business visit.

Attorney C. W. Dawson will deliver the alumni oration at Keystone academy today.

Mr. Will Irving Finch has gone to San Francisco, where he will spend the summer with his parents.

Miss Nellie Hopkins, of 925 Prospect avenue, Thursday started to visit friends at Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

Ex-Sheriff Charles Robinson and his family left the city yesterday for the season, where they will spend the summer.

Miss Mame Peck, of Monroe avenue, has returned home after attending the commencement exercises at Bucknell university.

Otto Wagonhurst, captain of the University of Pennsylvania crew, was in the city yesterday enroute to his home near Gouldsboro.

Manager John H. Blackwood, of the Frothingham, has returned from Bucknell university, where he attended the commencement exercises.

Among those who were from this city to attend the picnic given by the congregation of St. Catharine's church at Moscow yesterday, were Rev. Father Bardi, Stanley, Driscoll, Hissie and Millane and A. F. O'Boyle, Frank P. Brown, E. J. McNally, Thomas Gilgallon, P. H. Gilgallon and family, Mattie Carey, A. J. Mullin, Dr. Satter, Dennis J. Koc, John E. Rucha, M. J. Kelly, Patrick Jordan, M. W. Collins, Thomas Clarke, Michael McGovern, John Dennis, Michael T. Howley, Daniel Harter, William Vanation, Michael T. Vaugha, Dennis Kearney, T. J. Duffy and Frank McCann.

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Fine shoes; latest fads in russet and patent leathers. Some entirely new styles in ladies and gents.

## NEWS OF WEST SIDE

Closing Exercises Held at No. 14 School by the Pupils.

## DESPERATE WORK OF THE TOOLEES

They Sallied Forth With a Hammer And Smashed Windows and Doors. They Were Sent to the County Jail. McNally Was a Very Bold Thief. Lunn Social at Residence of D. M. Jones—Personals and Notes.

[The West Side office of the SCRANTON TRIBUNE is located at 33 North Main avenue, where subscriptions, advertisements and communications will receive prompt attention.]

Closing exercises were held in the various departments of No. 14 school yesterday, which many of the friends and parents of the pupils attended. Solos, duets, oratorios and tableaux were given in a fine manner by the various scholars which reflected great credit upon the teachers for bringing them to such a high standard. In the B grammar grade room, under the instruction of David Owens, most interesting exercises were held. The young teacher had prepared his pupils in a careful manner and they did full justice to the occasion.

The entertainment opened with a song, "Far Away," by the school, and was followed with a recitation by William Acker. Grace Goodrich recited and Frank McGovern gave an oration entitled, "Corporal Joe," a song, "Merry Brooklet," was rendered by the school; a recitation was given by Miss Lily Monies and quotations from popular authors by pupils of the school. George Harrington read a well prepared composition on "Bald Mount," while a solo by Miss Annie Powell met with applause. Misses Morris and Phillips rendered a duet.

Three special features given by those not connected with the department were recitations by Misses Elizabeth House, Lella Porter and Mabel Vost. The affair closed with singing of the national hymn, "My country, 'tis of Thee."

Mr. Owens, the instructor, is a graduate from the High School class of '93, and has been teaching about four months. During this time he has shown great competency, and has fully met all the requirements of the position which he holds.

## WERE BENT ON MISCHIEF.

Barney and Michael Toole Did Desperate Work.

Yesterday morning Barney and Michael Toole, young men residing in Hennessy court, went to the hotel of Philip Rinsland, on North Main avenue, and asked for admittance. They were refused, and went around to the rear of Mr. Rinsland's place of business to the summer garden and broke several glass fixtures. After doing this they ran down Hennessy court, coming out on Jackson street. Mike was in possession of a six pound hammer and seeing a stone belonging to J. C. King on the sidewalk, struck it with the hammer, breaking it badly. Mr. King, Lieutenant Williams and Officer Geertz immediately gave chase.

The men ran on North Main avenue with the officers in hot pursuit. When in front of the Stetter House Barney stopped. He now had possession of the hammer. King called to the officers to chase the other man, as it was he that broke the stone. They did so and Mike was captured by Lieutenant Williams near his home. When Barney saw that his brother was caught he said: "I will be arrested too," and without more ado he hurled the hammer through one of the large plate glass windows at the Stetter House. The men were taken to the station house, and were given a hearing by Alderman Morgan at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Rinsland, Stetter and King appeared against them. In the Rinsland case they were fined \$5 each, which Mike paid, but his brother preferred fifteen days in jail. For breaking the stone Mike paid another fine. In the window breaking episode, Barney was bound to court in the sum of \$500 but went to jail in default of bail.

## LITTLE WEST SIDE NEWS NOTES.

Mrs. Esther Morris, of North Bromley avenue, is visiting friends in West Pittston.

Rev. David Jones, pastor of the First Welsh Congregational church, is in New York.

Miss Jennie Cannon, of Moscow, is visiting Miss Etta Meyer, of North Hyde Park avenue.

Miss Emma Coyle, of North Hyde Park avenue, is visiting relatives on Hyde Park avenue.

D. J. Thomas and daughter, of Pittsburg, are the guests of D. M. Jones of South Main avenue.

Constantine Timothy Jones sold out the household effects of J. E. Hatkinson on Jackson street yesterday for rent.

On Monday evening the class of Miss Belle Vipond at the Washburn street Presbyterian church Sunday school, will give an entertainment in North Main street.

Miss Mame E. Morgan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Morgan, of Jackson street, who is a student at Bloomsburg State Normal school has successfully passed the final examinations.

Through the influence of my friends I announce myself as delegate to the Republican County convention from two districts of the Fifth ward. E. G. Hughes, Contractor and builder.

At a birthday party given by Miss Hattie Green, at 216 North Main avenue, the following guests were present: Misses Maggie Phillips, Marie Fisher, Edith Van Gorder, Marie Elshager, Hattie Fellows, Hattie Fellows, Hattie Fellows, Hattie Fellows, and Pierce Fellows, Morris Miller, Elmer Crane, Arthur Van Gorder, Charles Crothamel, Lyman Peck, Robert Peck, William L. Fryer, and Mrs. Walters.

Japanese lanterns, decorated, potted plants and other like decorations adorned the spacious lawn of D. M. Jones, of South Main avenue, last evening in honor of the members of the class of 1894 of the Washburn street Presbyterian church. The whole place was filled with neat little tables, and several enjoyable hours were spent. The members of the class, Misses Mary, Nettie Rinker, Della Penwarden, Chase, Nettie Elias, Dunkerly, and Messrs. Percy Waters, Frank Mansfield, Robert Walker, David Davies, George Barrowman, Will Freeman, Ron Luck, Curt Andrews and John Walker.

At 11:30 o'clock yesterday morning a man broke into the home of Rev. D. W. Japanese lanterns, decorated, potted plants and other like decorations adorned the spacious lawn of D. M. Jones, of South Main avenue, last evening in honor of the members of the class of 1894 of the Washburn street Presbyterian church. The whole place was filled with neat little tables, and several enjoyable hours were spent. The members of the class, Misses Mary, Nettie Rinker, Della Penwarden, Chase, Nettie Elias, Dunkerly, and Messrs. Percy Waters, Frank Mansfield, Robert Walker, David Davies, George Barrowman, Will Freeman, Ron Luck, Curt Andrews and John Walker.

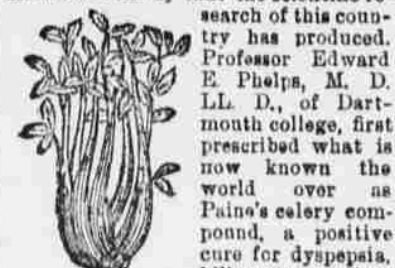
The thief was first discovered by Contractor George Cooper, but made his escape. The house is being moved across the street, and was unoccupied at the time. Complaint was made at the West side station house, and Officer Harry Haag went in search of him. He found the thief in a house at fifteenth and Limestone streets. He proved to be Patrick McNally and was identified by Mr. Skellenger and Contractor Cooper. The articles were found on his person. He was given a hearing and in default of bail was sent to jail.

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